



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
8980-000001/US

In re Application of

Application Number 09/874,327

Filed June 6, 2001

For FIRE RESISTANT ACCESS PANEL FOR DUCTS AND AIR  
HANDLING EQUIPMENT

Group Art Unit  
3634

Examiner  
Jerry E. Redman

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ 1590.00
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ An extension of ( ) month(s) for responding to the Final Rejection was previously requested and paid for on \_\_\_\_\_. Thus a fee of \$0.00 is required to obtain an additional ( ) month(s).

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 795.00.
- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 08-0750.
- I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

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☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.01 FC:2254

795.00 OP

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

- ☐ attorney or agent of record.
- ☒ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). 35,416.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

March 1, 2006

Date

Signature

Gary D. Yacura

Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below\*.

☐ \*Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.

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HDP/SB/21 based on PTO/SB/21 (08-00)

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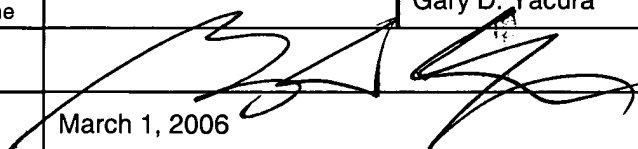
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## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.	Attorney Name Gary D. Yacura	Reg. No. 35,416
Signature			
Date	March 1, 2006		

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